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SHILOH MONUMENT FUND.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:
We desire publication through the columns of your paper of the following article, because a U. D. O. chapter of Alexandria will in the near future make an earnest effort to earn a contribution for the Shiloh monument fund. This represents the first special effort made in the state of Virginia for this worthy cause. The success of this effort will mean an example worthy of imitation by every chapter of the U. D. O.
The United Daughters of the Confederacy, after the completion of the Jefferson Davis monument, undertook the work of erecting a Confederate monument on the battlefield of Shiloh. At that time the Confederate section of this burial spot was in a deplorable condition, covered with thorns and weeds. In one long trench alone were buried four thousand southern soldiers; recorded in history as young men—"The flower of the south's young manhood." Many years have passed since the "war between the states,"

And yet these sacred cloths reveal today a mournful sight. Where still in ghastly mute appeal Their bleeding bones gleam white. Scarce hid by mother earth they lie Unwatched; forgot; unkept, And to the south for justice cry, Neglected and unwept.

The south has as yet placed no stone, no memorial there to tell of the splendid courage, heroism and devotion of the southern soldier; while above, about and around them tower more than one hundred shafts erected by northern states to commemorate the valor of northern heroes. The north has already expended more than two hundred thousand dollars in monuments alone at Shiloh. Is not the vanquished as worthy as the victor?

Shiloh is now a national park, and this means appropriation from the United States government. The question might well be asked, and Virginia did raise the issue: Why is the northern section made an ideal resting place, while the southern section is left out side, neglected and unkept? This government knows no north, no south, no east, no west. Three years of active, earnest and united work of the U. D. O. Shiloh committee has resulted in very much improved conditions at Shiloh; thorns and weeds have disappeared; that gruesome story of the long trench with human bones protruding is a thing of the past, as "a tale that has been to d." The work of collecting funds for the Shiloh monument is steadily progressing. Fifty thousand dollars is a large amount of money to be raised; but every year the amount in our Shiloh treasury is growing more and more; while the amount still to be collected is growing less and less.

So much Confederate monumental and memorial work has been erected in the state of Virginia. The entire south has contributed to make of Richmond (the capital city) a beloved "Mecca," surely now it is incumbent upon Virginia to respond generously to this "Appeal for Shiloh." Let us hasten the time, that at least a few of the survivors of this bloody battle may live to see this long deferred hope for Shiloh realized. It is our privilege to honor Davis and Lee in life as well as in death. The hero of Shiloh was slain in battle; he gave his life, a precious sacrifice, when life was sweet; replete with youth and hope. The Daughters of the Confederacy will honor the memory of Albert Sidney Johnston. Arlington is worthy of all honor, but Virginia must not forget the ten thousand "Men of the South" who sleep their last sleep on the battlefield of Shiloh.

MRS. A. CORNELIUS WYCKOFF,
Director (Virginia) Shiloh Monument.

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